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Subject: Do they own you, too?

HI,

If this gets read, I appreciate your time.

Microsoft Corporation has been abusing its position for years and years, this case just happen to be brought forth.

They were found guilty in the Apple-threat part of the original case and that alone is evidence of their monopolistic practices.

Compaq, Dell, Gateway, e-Machines, Hewlett-Packard, etc. All must do the bidding of Microsoft because without the OS, they can't sell their computers.

PLEASE PLEASE do not let this company live by their own rules simply because they were clever enough to figure out how to control the market. The fact that they have managed to eak Apple out of the school market and the graphics market is evidence enough NOT of the quality they put out but because of the THEIR ABILITY TO THREATEN THE MARKETPLACE. They were even found guilty of libel when they put an ad campaign out against Novell when Novell took over Cambridge Technology Partners.

It should be obvious enough: They have 96.4% of the WORLD MARKET SHARE in operating systems. Even AT&T never had it that good.

STOP THEM OR THEY WILL OWN US ALL. They only want to rule the world and if not stopped, they will.

Thanks, Mike Lindley